The World of Anne Frank 1925 - 1945

A Booklist for young People

A Bag of Marbles by Joseph Joffo
Ten-year-old Jo tries to escape persecution by trading his Jewish star for a bag of marbles. YA Fiction

The Boys Who Saved the Children by Margaret Baldwin
Ben and his friends bravely barter a fur coat for the lives of all the children in a ghetto in Lodz, Poland. J D810.J4B287

The Devil in Vienna by Doris Orgel
Two young girls discover their pledge of eternal friendship can be dangerous when one is Jewish and the other is a member of the Hitler Youth. J Fiction

Fragments of Isabella: A Memoir of Auschwitz by Isabella Leitner
"Family life" in the Auschwitz concentration camp. YA D810.J4L355

Friedrich by Hans Peter Richter
Pranks and mischief are part of the lives of two boys, until they slowly learn the meaning of "The Final Solution." J Fiction

A Frost in the Night by Edith Baer
Eva discovers not even her comfortable Jewish family in a city in southern Germany can remain untouched by Hitler's rise to power. J Fiction

The Holocaust by Seymour Rossel
An historical survey of the extermination of six million Jews. JD810.J4R665

The House on Prague Street
by Hana Demetz

Helene grows up and falls in love in German-occupied Czechoslovakia.
YA Fiction

I am Rosemarie by Marietta Moskin

Memories of her Amsterdam childhood help Rosemarie in the concentration camp.
YA Fiction

I Never Saw Another Butterfly: Children's Drawings and Poems from Terezín Concentration Camp, 1942-1944

15,000 children passed through Terezín on their way to Auschwitz and other extermination centers. J N352.P713

In Kindling Flame: The Story of Hannah Senesh, 1921-1944 by Linda Atkinson

A young writer becomes a fighter against the Nazis. YA CT1919.P38S363

Mischling, Second Degree: My Childhood in Nazi Germany by Ilse Koehn

A Hitler youth is unaware of her Jewish heritage. J DD253.47K63*

Never To Forget—The Jews of the Holocaust by Milton Meltzer

Journals, letters, songs, and stories of individual Jews. J D810.J4M424*

On the Other Side of the Gate by Yuri Suhl

Can Hershel and Lena hide their baby from the Nazis? YA Fiction

Promises of a New Spring: The Holocaust and Renewal by Gerda W. Klein

The rebuilding of lives after the Holocaust is compared to the reseeding of a forest after a fire. J D810.J4K57

Remember Not To Forget: A Memory of the Holocaust by Norman H. Finkelstein

This simplified explanation of the Holocaust stresses the importance of remembering the horrors. J D810.J4F46

The Secret Ship
by Ruth Kluger and Peggy Mann

A young Rumanian Jewish woman rescued thousands of her people from the Nazis.
J D810.J4A473

Upon the Head of a Goat—A Childhood in Hungary by Aranka Siegel

Piri's family bravely endures indignities, life in the Jewish ghetto, and finally the workcamp Auschwitz. J DS135.R95S547*

The Upstairs Room by Johanna Reiss

Annie and her sister are hidden from the Germans by a Gentile family on an isolated Dutch farm. Also: **The Journey Back,** a sequel. J D810.J4R42

Walls: Resisting The Third Reich, One Woman's Story by Hiltgunt Zassenhaus

The German medical student helps Scandinavian resisters. YA DD256.3Z34

When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit
by Judith Kerr

Anna and her family experience poverty, hunger, and homelessness as refugees, when changing times for Jews force them to flee Berlin. J Fiction

World at War/The Warsaw Ghetto
by R. Conrad Stein

Life in the Jewish quarter in Warsaw from 1939 to 1945 when hunger and poverty were ended by total destruction of the ghetto.
J DS135.P62W365

*Also in Young Adult Room

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